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Vicar's Letter

*From the Revd. Alun Hurd,
Vicar of High Westmorland*

HURD THE WORD

Happy Easter to you and I hope it will be or has been a good one for you by the time you read this. One thing is for certain that very few people will not know it is Easter or prepared for it, as the Hot Cross buns, chocolate eggs, bunnies and chicks and so on were in the shops long, long ago.

Like Christmas it seems to get earlier and earlier every year and perhaps diminishes the significance and meaning of what are for Christians the two most powerful and important events of Jesus life as they get engulfed in the material orgy of these celebrations.

I suppose we should be grateful that at least these festivals are still mentioned and on the lips of the vast majority of the public. And of course these great Festivals often bring families together as we have holidays to use up and enjoy.

However, it presents us with a challenge of how to maintain some integrity as Jesus is subsumed and often lost in the fog of our culture of brashness or sentimentality. Which is why the few opportunities we have should be grasped and taken with eagerness.

Most of our Easter services will on the whole be just for 'us' although of course open to everyone. In the High Westmorland Parishes there will be various opportunities to think, reflect and immerse ourselves in the story of Easter with its highs and lows, from Palm Sunday through to the Last Supper and the Garden of Gethsemane, the Crucifixion and ultimately the Resurrection and Jesus' final days on earth.

All the service details are

elsewhere in this magazine and I hope very much to see you at one or more of them. So, if you can be there, and join with me and others we can experience these most moving aspects of the supreme purpose of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ as we remember his sacrifice to give us the gift and hope of eternal life.

Along with this we can also be reminded of the other part of Jesus' life and his ministry among us, to show us a better way to be, in our attitudes and ways of thinking, to help make the families and communities we live in and among places of tolerance and understanding and most importantly of love, expressed in all kinds of different ways. Because after all Jesus' purpose and death on the Cross was and is to demonstrate God's love for his creation and us as part of that creation.

May all God's blessings be upon you and your family and friends this Eastertide.

Alun

Holy God, fill this your servant

Alun with your grace;

make him alive to your Spirit

and ready to do your will;

may he lead your people

boldly,

walk with them lovingly,

share with them creatively

and send them forth joyfully

to proclaim the good news

of the kingdom of Jesus Christ,

our great High Priest and Lord.

Amen.

*This prayer was part of Alun's
Institution Service on 6th March*

NOTE - The management committee of the *Link* regret that it is unable to distribute literature for other organisations. Articles received after the 13th may be held over until the following month. Next deadline: 13th April 2017

Cover picture: All Saints' Church, Orton, at Easter



“God For All”

Over the last few years, churches across Cumbria of all denominations have been talking, praying and planning together. The result is **God for All**. Our aim is this:

By 2020 every person in Cumbria of all ages and backgrounds will have had an opportunity to discover more of God and God’s purpose for their lives.

Arising out of this vision is:-



What is Moving Mountains?

Moving Mountains (see *Mark 11:23*) is an opportunity for churches to work together across Cumbria in mission.

From **8th – 11th March 2018** we will be joined by teams led by bishops and leaders of other churches from across the north of England, drawn together by the Archbishop of York, Dr John Sentamu. We anticipate having about 30-35 such teams visiting the county, composed of a mix of lay people, youth workers, ordinands and clergy.

They are not coming to do mission. They are coming to help, encourage and support **local** churches planning and doing **local** mission. The events and style of the mission are decided

at local church and area level, with the visiting mission team supporting what has been decided by churches.

Launch Events

In February this year there were five Launch Events across the county, and members sent by the churches in our area attended the Launch Event in Penrith on 16th February.

There we learned more about what is envisaged, and heard stories of how very different people can be helped to move forward in their journey of faith.

Part of this is to encourage those who are already believers to tell their stories; stories are powerful ways of sharing our faith. ***WATCH THIS SPACE!***

The Moving Mountains Prayer

**God for all,
You reached out to the
world in your Son Jesus
Christ.**

**Help us to reach out in faith
and love and witness to all.**

**God for all,
You send your Holy Spirit to
empower and gift your
church. By your Spirit help
us to grow in unity, grow as
followers of Jesus Christ,
and grow your kingdom in
Cumbria and in this world.
Amen**

A Christian Alphabet—An occasional series by Christopher Jenkin

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Worship: Mention “Christian faith” and most people immediately think of “going to church” – and they may say, defensively, “You don’t have to go to church to be a Christian.” (Every vicar has heard this a thousand times!) The English word “worship” is a compressed form of “worthship” – i.e. it is about giving someone what they are worth; expressing their value in practical ways, whether by words or actions. (The old Marriage Service has the bridegroom say, “With my body I thee worship” – and the writer of those words did not have in mind that he should kneel before her or sing songs to her!) So what is God worth? What is he entitled to? If he is who and what the Bible, and believers over thousands of years, have maintained – that he is the eternal, infinite creator of not just Planet Earth but the entire amazing, incomprehensible cosmos: that he is not some mysterious “force” but a Person, of whom it has been said, “In the deep of his mighty nature he thinks, wills, enjoys, feels, loves, desires and suffers as any other person may” (A.W.Tozer); that this Person not only created me and gave me life, but loves me personally, took huge and agonizing steps to forgive me all the many flaws in my character and the shameful things I have done; that He promises to care for me day by day, to guide me, to reveal himself to me (through Scripture, through Creation, through other people), to share my pains, and one day to call me to Himself in a glory beyond my utmost imaginings – if all this is remotely true, then what should be my personal response? To “go to church”, kneel down, stand up, and sing a few hymns? Or something much, much more – to hand my entire life over to Him, to love Him with every fibre of my being, to serve Him by loving other people and caring for His creation, and – of course – to join with other believers in shouting his praises with joy and exultation, or sitting silently in awe and contemplation, whether in an old building with pointy windows, or out on the open fell-side in the beauty of the earth and skies! That is worship, and the only possible way to respond to such a mighty God. Jesus said, “God is Spirit, and those who worship him must worship in Spirit and in Truth” (*John 4:24*). In Spirit – with the deepest part of me; and in truth – according to the truth of who He is, and in utter sincerity of heart and mind, with no pretence. “We have come into this place, and gathered in his name, to worship him!” So says a modern song of worship. Let’s do it, and pray that our response may be worthy of Him!

SUNDAY SERVICES IN OUR CHURCHES FOR APRIL 2017

Sunday 2nd April

The Fifth Sunday of Lent

Liturgical colour Purple

Lessons Ezekiel 37.1-14; Romans 8.6-11

ORTON 9.30am
Sidesman Jim Milburn
 TEBAY 10.30am
 RAVENSTONEDALE 10.00am

Holy Communion Ian Elliott
Prayers Angela Milburn
Joint Songs of Praise at the Methodist Church
All Age Worship Chris Jenkin

Readers
 Mary Jenkin Iris Wilding
 David and Caroline Morris

Sunday 9th April

Palm Sunday

Liturgical colour Red

Lessons Isaiah 50.4-9a; Philippians 2.5-11

ORTON 10.30am
Sidesman Mary Jenkin
 TEBAY 10.30am
 RAVENSTONEDALE 10.00am

Palm Gospel Rosemary Campbell
All Age Holy Communion Ian Elliott
Holy Communion Alun Hurd

Readers
 Diana Fothergill Tim Parkinson

Sunday 16th April

Easter Day

Liturgical colour Gold or White

Lessons Acts 10.34-43; Colossians 3.1-4

ORTON 10.30am
Sidesman Jim Milburn
 TEBAY 11.15am
 RAVENSTONEDALE 10.00am

Family Holy Communion Alun Hurd
Prayers Elizabeth Crossley
Holy Communion Sandra Ward
Holy Communion Ian Elliott

Readers
 Jackie Huck Angela Milburn
 Michael and Sally Metcalfe-Gibson

Sunday 23rd April

The Second Sunday of Easter

Liturgical colour White

Lessons Acts 2.14a,22-32; 1 Peter 1.3-9

ORTON 9.30am
Sidesman Andy Glanville
 TEBAY 11.15am
 RAVENSTONEDALE 6.00pm

Morning Prayer BCP Sandra Ward
Prayers David Aspden
Holy Communion Sandra Ward
Evensong Sandra Ward

Readers
 Andy Glanville Susan Basnett
 Richard Best Hilary Law

Sunday 30th April

The Third Sunday of Easter

Liturgical colour White

Lessons Acts 2.14a,36-41; 1Peter 1.17-23

Joint Holy Communion Service

for Orton, Tebay and Ravenstonedale
 with the Revd Alun Hurd

10.30am in St. James' Church Tebay

SUNDAY SERVICES IN OUR CHAPELS FOR APRIL 2017

		2 nd <i>5th in Lent</i>	9 th <i>Palm Sunday</i>	16 th <i>Easter Day</i>	23 rd	30 th
Tebay	10.30 a.m.	S of P OA	S Radford HC Cnxn Sce at KS	T Taylor	OA	J Morton
Orton	10.30 a.m. 6.30 p.m.	K Speck OA S Radford HC	M Scott OA Cnxn Sce at KS	H Radford OA T Dent	K Coward S Radford	J Betts W B Robinson
Newbiggin-on-Lune	10.30 a.m. 6.30 p.m.	D Hollidge OA OA	B Staley Cnxn Sce at KS	T Longworth OA	I Ellershaw OA	J Fox CA J Fox CA
Ravenstonedale	2.00 p.m. 6.30 p.m.	H Hutchinson	J Morton Cnxn Sce at KS	S Radford HC	D Askew	S Radford

Vinelifa Cumbria Fellowship: Every Sunday in Orton Market Hall, 10.30 a.m.

A VIEW FROM TEBAY

By Reg Capstick, Reader Emeritus

I was unable to attend the Induction at Shap, so my first experience of our new Vicar was the five-parish service at Tebay on Sunday 12th March. It was great to see the church so full and to have so many different people taking part. The readers were all excellent and the young musicians, led by Pam Lawson, performed very well – aided by a guitarist making his debut amongst us! All in all, Alun Hurd's first service at Tebay was a great success. I was especially taken by his sense of humour, particularly the anecdote of the centipede. I recall a pupil telling me that having a good sense of humour was a vital attribute for a teacher and I am sure the same applies to someone in Alun's situation as he juggles with getting to know all the very different characters in High Westmorland. After that service last Sunday I feel very optimistic about the future of our parishes under Alun's guidance.

I was also heartened to discover that he is a soccer fan, supporting Tottenham Hotspur. I, for my sins, have supported Newcastle United for over 65 years and it is good to know that he does not support either Liverpool or Manchester United, as so many local people seem to do. Up to a few years ago, only myself and Johnny Beck in the area supported Newcastle.

Thinking of people supporting teams from afar leads me to consider a certain West Ham fan who has begun a new chapter in his life recently. I was somewhat surprised last week when a pamphlet appeared through my door from the Conservative Party, urging me to vote for Phil Dew in the County Council Election this coming May. My recollection is that when he first came to Tebay in 1995 Phil was a keen Tony Blair supporter. Perhaps he has had a kind of

revelation in political terms. Whatever the reason I hope he succeeds in his political ambitions as local government is in a mess at present and someone with a new perspective is badly needed.

We are well into Lent now and I feel that it is the right time to pause and consider our journey into Faith as we approach Easter. For a number of years I hosted a Lent Course at my home and I am sure it helped me to understand the meaning of God's sacrifice of his Son and the effect of Our Lord's life and death on our human existence. Easter eggs and chocolate are fine, in their place, but Easter is much more than those things. I am pleased to hear that there will be a service at Tebay Chapel on Good Friday again this year, as I find such an event gives me a good perspective on my Christian life for the rest of the year.

Magical Evening

TEBAY & ORTON WI invite you to their Open Evening with magician Stuart Bowie, entitled 'How did you do that?' on Wednesday 21st July, 7pm.
Adults £3, children £1, under 5's free.
Light refreshments available.

THE HUB



**Tebay Community Library
and Drop In—in the Hub,
St. James' Church**

Every Monday morning,
10.00am - 12.00 noon

Refreshments —
Books to borrow and buy.

All ages welcome

TEBAY METHODIST CHAPEL

COFFEE MORNING!

Saturday 8th April

10 a.m. - 12 noon

Stall with craft items
(made by members of the
2-4 Club)

Other items
e.g. Books, plants, confectionery
also on sale.

Please come and join us

Maulds Meaburn Village Institute
Friday, 21st April at 7.30pm

A talk presented by Harry Hawkins

'Monasteries and Communities in Westmorland'

In medieval times monasteries owned land throughout Westmorland. This talk will consider how Shap Abbey and other religious houses influenced local communities.

Tickets on the door: £6-00 (£4 for
under 18s)

Doors and Bar open at 7pm

Tebay Methodist Church

DROP IN 2 TILL 4

Every Tuesday

Games, crafts & refreshments
For information ring Dennis
015396 24445

'Twinkles'

**Tuesdays 9.30—11.30 a.m. at
Tebay Methodist Hall**

**All welcome with or without
children**

**Voluntary run playgroup—
Activities changed on a weekly
basis including painting,
playdough, drawing, cutting,
dressing up, slides, bikes, music,
reading.**

**For more information contact
Amanda James - 07733 180305**



Eyes down for our Easter Bingo!

Sunday 16th April

8pm

Tebay Sports and Social Club

* Lots of wonderful prizes
donated by local organisations

* Childrens game and prizes
* Raffle

Proceeds to St James' Church, Tebay

St James Church Fundraising Group

Dates for your Diary

The fundraising group has been working hard planning events for 2017. Last year we raised upwards of £2,000 to help keep the Church open. Pop the following dates in your diary and come along to support us to keep this building open for the benefit for all of us in the village:

- Sunday 16th April: Easter Bingo
- Sunday 30th April & Monday 1st May: Annual Exhibition Weekend
- Friday 26th May: Half term disco
- Saturday 22nd July: Sports Day and Summer Party

More information about these events will appear in The Link and on our Facebook page 'St James Church, Tebay'; why not pop over and give us a 'like'!

If you would like to find out more or join the Fundraising Group, please contact Rachel Lewis, Amanda James, Becky Morland, Julie Foster or Ann & Steve Marshall.



Tebay Senior Citizens' Lunch & Trip Tuesday 16th May

Lunch will be served in Tebay Methodist Hall at 12 noon. The coach leaves at 1:30pm for the trip.

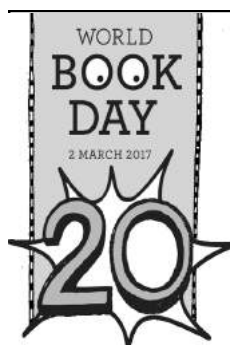
Men and Women aged 60 plus and living in Tebay Parish are invited to share this occasion.

Anyone wishing to attend the lunch and trip is asked to contact **Ann Walker (Tel 24371)** before **Friday 5th May**, stating name / number of persons attending lunch and trip, and any dietary requirements.

Please also let us know if you require transport to and from the chapel.

We look forward to as many of you as possible sharing this occasion with us.

Please note - invites will not be delivered by hand this year.



This year marks the 20th anniversary of World Book Day, and in order to celebrate 20 years of getting children closer to the books and authors they love, the theme of St James' Church Annual Exhibition (Sun. 30th April, Mon. 1st May) will be:

Children's Books

World Book Day is a celebration! It's a celebration of authors, illustrators, books and (most importantly) it's a celebration of reading. In fact, it's the biggest celebration of its kind, designated by UNESCO as a worldwide celebration of books and reading, and marked in over 100 countries all over the world.

This is the 20th year there's been a World Book Day, and in 2017 children of all ages will come together to appreciate reading. Very loudly and very happily. The aim is to encourage children to explore the pleasures of books and reading.

To mark the 20th anniversary, we would like to invite you to join us in contributing to our annual Exhibition weekend which will showcase displays of various authors, favourites of children young and not-as-young. There will be story-telling, a treasure hunt, and lots of other fun things happening across the weekend. If you are able to have an exhibition, please contact Rachel Lewis, Amanda James, Julie Foster, Becky Morland or Ann & Steve Marshall for more information,

or email rachel.louis@hotmail.co.uk.

Thank you for helping us to make this a fun weekend for all the family.

Notes from the Herald, March and April 1917

The long, cold winter continues, April worse than March. Heavy snow, deep frost and bitter winds till late April; many sheep lost. Nothing grew in the fields. The Government urges vegetables, not flowers, to be grown and all sparrows, rooks and wood pigeons to be killed as pests (local resistance to killing sparrows here). Food rationing is likely as the rich ignore the need to eat less. Stocks are low.

Orton Died at East Road, Orton on 23rd February, Eleanor Hogarth, 78. Slain on the Front on Easter Monday, 9th April, Corporal J.W. (or W.J.) Harper, now of Wetherby. Cpl. Harper was 24 and single. As he waited for his men's tea outside the cookhouse door a shell fell on him. Instant death. (Report on 21st April, photo on 28th).

50 Years ago (1967) Sudden fall in butter prices per pound.

	16 th March	23 rd March
Kendal:	1s.7d	1s 1½d
Orton:	1s.8d	1s.0d – 1s.1d
Sedbergh:	Very high	1s.0d

Greenholme School's Trustees' AGM on Saturday 30th, thence to a good dinner at the Duke of Cumberland Inn, Orton. The School was rebuilt in 1861 in memory of Mr. Hayton, yeoman of The Oak, Orton. (A yeoman was a farmer who owned his land)

Tebay 1917 Mr. J.T. Craig (Tebay) to be one of the Brough P.M. Circuit's delegates to Synod at Maryport. Mr. John Green, railway guard of Tebay, has a son, P.C. William Green now at Dalton in Furness, who recently tried to rescue an 11 year old boy from drowning in a local tarn. Alas, too late. The King (George V) gave him the King's Police Medal for his action. Easter

Vestry on Tuesday 10th – slightly "in the red". (Orton's that week heard they have 48s6d in hand and Ravenstonedale's is a shilling or two in credit). The LNWR recently removed the weighing machine at Tebay Station. The R.D.C. wants it to go back. Great inconvenience from its lack!

Ravenstonedale Private Fothergill missing since 18th November is now a POW in Germany. His two postcards came on same day, early March, to his mother at High Stennerskeugh, saying he is well. For sleeping in Ravenstonedale barns at Red House on 3rd March and banging on doors of two houses demanding food, George Pugmire Atkinson, tramp, got three months in prison. He has a long record. The Ravenstonedale Band of Hope (juvenile temperance organisation) had a lantern lecture on Tuesday 6th March in the Public Room. Died at Newbiggin on Lune, on 9th March, William Harvey, 82. Funeral departed Town Head, Monday, 12th at 2.30pm. Mr. William Hunter of Murthwaite, Fell End, has a fourth son who enlisted in the Border Regiment in May, 1916 and was sent to France in November. He is Private Walter Hunter, now in a London Hospital with head wounds. Ravenstonedale Parish AGM was on 5th April – The Churchwardens have distributed the Poor Stock (parish charity) £19.2s8d, the Bread Money, £5.2s0d. Prices continue to rise slowly. Meat and Cod are twice their pre-War prices. (U-boats cut the cod-fishers' chances). Joke: Wife: How can I get my husband to eat more slowly?

Friend: Tell him you want a candid talk after dinner!

Many thanks to Jeremy Godwin.

PARISH REGISTERS

Funerals:

22nd February 2017: The Funeral Service and Burial of Albert William Kipling (78) or Midtown House, Shap, took place at All Saints' Church, Orton.

14th March 2017: The Funeral Service and Burial of Richard (Dick) Barlow (91) of Ash Lea Cottage, Ravenstonedale, took place at St Oswald's Church, Ravenstonedale.

PRIZE BINGO

Friday 7th April
Orton Market Hall
7.30 pm

All welcome - Good prizes

We would like to thank everyone for the support at the last Bingo; we raised £430 for Crosby Ravensworth School. We hope to see you all at the April one.

Thank you from
Sharon and Jillian

Next Bingo will be for
Lyvennet Nursery.

Easter Monday Family Treasure Hunt

On Easter Monday (17th April), why not bring the family for Nature Ramble and Easter Treasure Hunt at Learning Fields CIC, Nag's Head Farm. Hoff, on the Appleby-Orton Road. All ages and abilities welcome. 11 am start, finishing at 1 pm. £5 per person/£20 per family (6 max). Booking essential by Saturday 15th April on 017683 53860 or alex@learningfields.co.uk

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Tebay School

Story Teller

On the 28th February a story - teller came into school and told lots of different stories to all the different classes, and it was a fun day for everyone.



Fairtrade Day

On the 10th March we had a Fairtrade day at Tebay. The regular tuck shop snacks were swapped for Fairtrade bananas, chocolate and hot chocolate and everyone would agree that it was a welcome treat.

World Book Day

Last week, Tebay School celebrated 'World Book Day' by spending the day taking part in reading themed activities and dressing up as our favourite book characters.

One of Class 2's reading dens on World Book Day.



Years 1 and 2 gymnastics training.

Throughout this week years 1 and 2 have been practising gymnastics and have been taught new things every day; they all enjoyed the fun activities. They then took part in a competition at Kirkby Stephen Grammar School, coming 3rd.



Pancake Day

On Pancake Day Tebay School celebrated by making pancakes and learning about how Pancake Day began.



Rufus Welshman , year 6

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Community Drama

Are you interested in
Drama, Lighting, special effects, costume,
face painting, or play a musical instrument,
write songs?

If so we would love to see you on
Wednesday 26th April 7pm- 8pm
at the Methodist Chapel in Tebay.

Topic:

An Informal discussion on type of production for a
community Drama in your area. All ages welcome
Tea/ coffee/squash and home baked cake provided.

If you are unable to make this date and time
but are still interested in being involved
please call **Karen on 07891 122129.**

We look forward to meeting you.

CHRISTIAN AID WEEK, 14th to 20th MAY

Included in this month's **Link** for Orton parish will
be CHRISTIAN AID envelopes. Ravenstonedale and
Tebay will receive these in the May edition.

We will be hoping to organise an event during the
week in May so please look out for details in next
month's magazine.

ALL SAINTS' CHURCH, ORTON GIFT DAYS & ANNUAL EXHIBITION

27th 28th 29th & 30th MAY

*Come & mingle with the wonderful
characters at our*

SCARECROW WEDDING

*Having got to know the guests,
then relax & enjoy*



Coffee or a Cream Tea.

Sat. 3pm. to 6pm, Sun. 1pm to 5pm

Monday & Tuesday, 10am. to 5pm.

Exhibition Service SUNDAY at 10.30am.

For further information please
Tel. 015396 24382 or contact any PCC member

SCARECROW Competition
over the weekend in the village.

**The Scarecrows will be in Church until
the following weekend.**

Coffee Morning

Saturday 29th April

Orton Market Hall

10.00 – 11.30

£3 entry fee (children free)

This includes all refreshments

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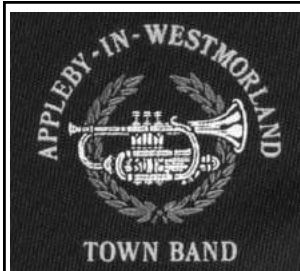
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APPLEBY TOWN BAND

and the

FELLSIDE SINGERS



Concert

Appleby Public Hall

7.30 p.m. Friday 31st March

(the day the Flying Scotsman passes through)

- Refreshments - Raffle -

Admission £5.00 (Under 18s FREE)

(from Tourist Information Office, Band or Choir members)

Phone: Linda Bainbridge on 01931 715395

or Richard McGregor on 0782 4616978

Orton

Holy Week

Every day in Holy Week
Orton Church and Chapel
congregations are
joining together for services of
meditation in preparation for
Easter

Monday 10th April 7.30pm
in Orton Chapel

Tuesday 11th April 7.30pm
in All Saints' Church

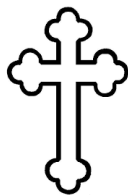
Wednesday 12th April 7.30pm
in The Hub at Tebay Church

Thursday 13th April 7.30pm
Maundy Thursday
Holy Communion and
stripping of the Altar
in All Saints' Church

Friday 14th April
Good Friday
10.30am Tebay Methodist
Church
2pm in All Saints' Church

15th April **Holy Saturday**,
2.30pm Children's Activities in
All Saints' Church
4pm Service of Light.

16th April **Easter Day**
10.30 a.m. Family Communion
at All Saints' Church
10.30 a.m. Family Service in
Orton Chapel



We welcome
anyone who would
like to join us for all
or any of these
services.

Good Friday Walk

Mark this special day by
joining our walk of witness
with short acts of worship
along the way.
Meet at St Michael's, Shap, at
12 noon then walk via Shap
Abbey and Keld Chapel
(time for Hot Cross Buns and
tea) and back to St Michael's,
Shap
All Welcome

Orton Mothers' Union

Tuesday 4th April, 2pm
at Angela's house

led by Angela

Anyone who would like to join
us will be very welcome.

If you would like information
please phone Angela on
015396 24382

Mothers' UNION
Christian care for families

Orton Farmers' Market and Coffee Morning

The next two of these popular
markets will be:

**Saturday 8th April
and Saturday 13th May**

Join us in church for refresh-
ments and a chat in a friendly
atmosphere.

In March we raised **£531.21**
to help us continue God's
work at All Saints.

And many thanks for your
continued support!

Orton Surgery

Orton surgery is usually open from
9.15am to 10.30am on Tuesdays
and from 4.00pm to 5.45pm on
Thursdays. Tuesday 18th April:
there will be no surgery nor any
pills available for collection.

Shap Practice: 01931 716230
Out of hours: 03000 247 247

Altar Flowers in All Saints' Church, Orton

The Altar Flower Rota is displayed
on the notice board in church.
Please consider adding your name.
It takes very little time and is a
wonderful way to remember
someone dear or special occasions.

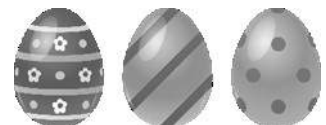
**ORTON with TEBAY
Annual Parochial Church
Meeting** will be held
in Orton Church on Tuesday
25th April at 7.30pm.



Orton Methodist Chapel
**Join us on Easter Day -
Sunday, 16th April**

**A service for all the family
led by Heather Radford
at 10.30am**

***Egg hunt and pasche egg
rolling for the children***



***Coffee and refreshments
served afterwards
All are most welcome***

For any further information
tel Rachel Woof 015396 24372

Music and Readings performed by the

EDEN ENSEMBLE



Saturday 29th April
7-30 p.m.



All Saints' Church, Orton.

£7-50 - includes buffet supper.

Tickets now available from PCC members.

If you are willing to contribute towards the finger buffet please
contact Angela Milburn on 24382.

News from Orton School

Quick sticks

On Thursday 16th February Bicci, Harry, Lucas, Morland, Madison and Molly went to a quick sticks hockey tournament. Everyone from Class 3 that went did really well even though they did not get through to the second round. It was soaking wet (not the best weather to play). They played against Kirkby Stephen, Bolton and Temple Sowerby.

By Bicci, Harry and Kate

Fairtrade Friday 10th March

In the morning we had a fair trade assembly and Fairtrade activities then we had a Fairtrade snack. We had bananas and kit kats.

By Ben and Lucas

World Book Day

On Friday 3rd March it was Orton school's world book day. Everybody dressed up as a book character. Some people came as Harry Potter (lots) and some people came as Dalmatians of 101 Dalmatians. Some grownups came and read us a book.

Two of the teachers dressed up as the ugly step sisters - they wore lots of make-up and two other teachers came as pencils.

By Emily, Poppy and Molly

On Saturday 11th March FOOS [AKA Friends of Orton School] went to church on the Farmers Market day in Orton. Mr and Mrs Clark were selling lots of lovely plants and Mrs Percival was selling some tasty cakes and Brownies. Mrs Bawden was helping with both stalls. They raised over £150.

By Cristina Jenkin Gallego



Life Education Bus

In Class 1 they went to the Life Education Bus. They said that it was fun. They learnt about washing their hands and teeth. There was a giraffe called Harold.

In Class 2 they said it was very funny. They learnt about healthy living.

Class 3 learnt about Healthy eating and Class 4 said they found out about different drugs. Niamh and Franky

Class 4 Space Adventure

Class 4 went to Rheged to learn about space. They watched a film called Journey through space. They saw satellite pictures.

Nathan, Lily and Morland

On Wednesday 8th March 2017 we were given Bibles from Rev. Stephen and Rev. Alun in assembly. A week later we started to read them.

In the front of the Bible there is a label that tells you who it belongs to, when we got it and which school the Bible belongs to.

Suzanne and Caitlyn



Dance Workshop!

Every Tuesday a dance teacher comes to our school to teach us dance. The teacher is called Meg. She is really fun, she is teaching us dances about the rainforest. She also plays lots of games with us.

67th Greenholme Show - Saturday 10th June.

Judging from 10am.

Entry fees - Sheep £1, Produce & Confectionery, Handicrafts, Photographs 50p, Stick classes 50p, Dog classes £1, Children free

Please see full schedule for rules.

Available on our new Facebook page or at greenholmeshowsecretary@gmail.com

ROUGH FELL SHEEP CLASSES

1. Ewe with lamb at foot
2. Gimmer Shearling with Lamb at foot
3. Gimmer Hogg
4. Tup Hogg
5. Shearling Tup
6. Aged Tup
7. Best female that has not won a prize
8. Best male that has not won a prize
9. Best pair of Gimmer Hoggs
10. Best legged in Bone and Colour, Male
11. Best legged in Bone and Colour, Female
12. Best overall in Bone and Colour
13. Prize for Best pair, 1 Male, 1 Female.
14. Collection of : 1 Aged Ram, 1 Shearling Ram, 1 Tup Hogg.
15. Collection: of Best Ewe, Best Gimmer Shearling, Best Gimmer Hogg.
16. Best Male or Best Female shown in the Breeders hands

TEXEL SHEEP CLASSES

17. Ewe or Shearling that has reared a lamb this season
18. Gimmer Hogg
19. Tup Hogg
20. Aged Tup
21. Shearling Texel Tup
22. Texel Tup Lamb
23. Texel Gimmer Lamb
24. Pair: 1 Male and 1 Female.
25. Pair Females
26. Pair Males
- 27a. Best female that has not won a prize
- 27b. Best male that has not won a prize

ANY OTHER BREED OF SHEEP

27. Female. Ewe or Shearling
28. Male. Aged Tup or Shearling
29. Gimmer Hogg.
30. Tup Hogg
31. Pair of Females
32. Pair of Males
33. Tup Lamb
34. Gimmer Lamb
35. Young handler - To be entered on the day.

Stick competition - enter on the day

- Class A - Horned Shepherds Crook
Class B - All wood Shepherds Crook
Class C - Horned Walking Stick
Class D - Wood Walking Stick
Class E - Ornamental Horned Stick

Class F - Ornamental Wood Stick

Class G - Ladies Stick

Class H - Thumb Stick

Dog classes - enter on the day

- Large Dog , Small Dog
Dog with the waggiest tail
Dog most like its owner
Best 6 legs - Dog and Owner
Best Trick Dog the Judge Would Most Like To Take Home

HOME PRODUCE and CONFECTIONERY

36. 3 Brown Eggs
 37. 3 White eggs
 38. Best 3 sticks of Rhubarb
 39. Jar of Lemon curd
 40. Plaited loaf
 41. Loaf of brown bread
 42. Loaf of white bread
 43. Rich fruit cake
 44. Ginger bread
 45. 3 Fruit scones
 46. Favourite Mary Berry cake
 47. Bacon and Egg pie on a saucer
 48. 3 pieces tray bake
 49. 3 Muffins
 50. 3 Ginger biscuits - not rolled
 51. Lemon drizzle cake
 52. 3 Oat cakes
 53. Best Chocolate cake [unfilled, undecorated and made in one tin]
 54. Best Chocolate cake [filled, undecorated and made in one tin]
 55. Victoria sponge
 56. Wedding cake for a scarecrow
 57. 3 Butterfly buns
 58. Jar of Marmalade
 59. Jar Raspberry jam
 60. 3 pieces of Millionaires Shortbread
 61. Banana loaf
 62. Jar of chutney
 63. Damson/Sloe Gin or any Liqueur
 64. Fruit Pie
 65. 3 pieces Rocky road
 66. Lemon meringue - to set recipe
 67. 3 shortbread biscuits
 68. 3 Pieces of fruit Flapjack
 69. 3 Rock buns
- ## HANDICRAFTS Made since the 2016 show
71. Edible Jewellery
 72. Homemade picture frame
 73. Item of Crochet or Knitting
 74. Homemade patchwork item
 75. Painting - any medium
 76. Homemade hedgehog - any medium
 77. Card for a scarecrow wedding
 78. Novelty Teapot
 79. Article - hand or machine

sewn

80. Needlecraft - inc cross stitch
 81. Any other handicraft - Ladies/Gents
 82. Best pot plant
 83. Bonsai tree
 84. Flower arrangement in an unusual container
 85. Homemade felt article
 86. Item made by Adult and child
 87. Decorated Potato
 88. Something new from something old
 89. Homemade hat
 90. Poem
 91. Homemade doorstep
 92. Garden on a plate
 93. Planted boot
- ## PHOTOGRAPHS 7x5inch or less
94. Any Photo - 'Trees'
 95. Any View
 96. Any Photo of Child/Children
 97. Any Photo of Animal/Animals
 98. Any Photo of a Cat
 99. Any other Photo
 100. Any other Photo - with a caption

101 A Collection of 2 Photographs 'before and after'

102 Any Photo of a stone wall

103. Action Photo

104. Photo - 'Scarecrow'

105. Selfie

106. Black and White photo

CHILDREN'S CLASSES

107. PRE-SCHOOL - A Picture - any medium

108. Item made from breakfast cereal

109. Novelty hat

110. 3 Rice crispie cakes

111. 3 Decorated Sponge Buns

112. House made from a box or boxes

113. Photo (primary school age)

114. Farm on a plate

115. Drawing of a flower/s

116. Planted container [judged with class 129-combined class]

117. Picture - Any medium

118. Homemade Flag

119. Decorated Egg

120. Handwriting - Poem

121. Any Handicraft - Girl/Boy

122. Wooden spoon Scarecrow

123. Homemade Shield

124. Decorated paper Horseshoe

Secondary school

125. Edible scarecrow

126. 3 Choc chip cookies

127. 3 Cheese scones

128. Any other handicraft

129. Planted container

GREENHOLME SHOW

(continued)

130. Photo

131. Farm on a plate

132. Picture - any medium

133. **SPECIAL CLASS** sponsored by Orton Churchyard Conservation Project

with prizes donated by Yorkshire Dales National Park

'Living in the Churchyard' in any medium eg painting, collage, model

- 133a - Nursery to Year 3
- 133b - Year 4, 5 and 6
- 133c - Secondary

CLOSING DATE for Entries :

May 9th

Entries to be returned to Mrs J. Taylor, Schoolmasters House, Greenholme 015396 24414 , greenholmeshowsecretary@gmail.com

Orton Manor Court Grass Lettings

1st May 2017 - 1st April 2018

- **Meldykes Quarry** - Approx, 9 acres (Cattle only)
- **Howes Quarry** - Approx. 6 acres
- **Small parcel of land at Field Head/Park Lane**

Sealed bids to: Richard Percival, Treasurer to Orton Manor Court, 2 Addison Cottages, Orton CA10 3RJ

Before 7th April 2017



Orton Market Hall

If you use Facebook, you might be interested to know that Orton Market Hall now has a Facebook Page with images of the interior, information about fire safety, kitchen equipment *et al* AND an opportunity for you to promote events and other happenings that are booked into the Market Hall. Please feel free to post about events (with a clear indication of date, time of day and a contact for further details) or Message one of the Administrators via the page with details and an online link so that we can post for you. Thanks.

2017 ORTON SCARECROW COMPETITION

As you most likely know we are having a 'Scarecrow Wedding' in Orton church on the Spring Bank holiday weekend. The theme for the village Scarecrow Competition will be '**Celebrations**'. The theme can be reflected in many ways, so time to start thinking about your scarecrows, and putting on those thinking caps.

As in other years there will be two classes:

1. The Senior Scarecrow Competition
2. A scarecrow for children of primary school age, and this year, any family having children at Orton school will be eligible to enter.

Those who entered last year will receive a form, but anyone else interested can easily pick up a form from the Shop. Judging as in other years will be by popular vote, and all scarecrows must be displayed within the village perimeter. If you have no front garden or live outside the village, you can display your scarecrow on one of the many grass verges.

Closing date for entries Thursday 18th May. Entries will not be accepted once the scarecrow maps have been printed. Completed entry forms can be left at the shop or given to Marion Robinson, Wendy Higgins or myself.

Please have your scarecrows on display on Saturday 27th May, judging will close at 5pm on Monday 29th.

Prize winners will be announced and prizes given out on Tuesday 30th May and it's up to you how long you leave your scarecrow in place afterwards.

We usually have at least 20 scarecrows around the village, the more the better. Let's hope the weather behaves, and we see the village filled with families enjoying the Scarecrow Trail.

This will be my last year arranging the competition, I have done it for around 10 years, so I do hope that one of the younger members of the community will have a go next year, it would be a pity if this was the last year.

SO COME ON, LET'S HAVE LOTS OF ENTRIES!!

Jackie Huck. Competition organizer

Iona Easter Retreat - 2018

We hope to take a group from the High Westmorland Parishes to the lovely Scottish island of Iona in Easter Week, 2018.

Twenty-three places have been provisionally reserved at Bishop's House, from Tuesday 3rd - Friday 6th April, returning on Saturday 7th. Full board is £67 per night. The current ferry fare to Mull is £6.90 return per person and a small amount for the short crossing to Iona. Car return fare is £26.00. However shared transport possibilities could be arranged within the group.

The Revd. Alun Hurd has said he will join the party.

If you are interested and/or would like further information please contact Angela Milburn on 015396 24382 or Rev. Sandra Ward on 015396 24125 as soon as possible. A non-returnable deposit of £67.00 per person must be paid to secure the booking.

Easter Day (Sunday 16th April)



SONRISE SERVICE

6.00 a.m.

Raise Howe

As usual the local churches between Shap, Tebay, Orton, Ravenstonedale and Appleby are sharing in a short open-air service to greet the risen Lord Jesus on Easter morning.

The sun will rise at 6.07 a.m.!

Leader: The Revd. Alun Hurd, vicar of High Westmorland
Speaker: Wilf Capstick of Newbiggin Methodist Church



Orton Churchyard Conservation Project

Young Rangers: On 29th April the Sedbergh Young Rangers (Westmorland Dales) Group are coming to re-instate the footpath between the wooden stile (by the new gate) and the step stile over the stone wall. They have said that any young people of secondary school age from Orton are welcome to join them.

If you think that you (or your children) might be interested, please let me know in good time, as various bits of paperwork need to be completed. You will not be allowed to join in without this!

Bird Nesting Boxes: These have now been put in place in the sheep-grazing section of the churchyard.



Bat Walk: On Wednesday 30th August at 8 p.m. a bat walk has been arranged with Paul Arkle. Watch the space for details of how to take part!

Greenholme Show: See the schedule (on another page of *The Link*) which will describe a special class in connection with the Project.

Firewood: Do please help yourself, but make sure your donation is given to me. This money will help pay for restoring the turf after felling operations are complete.

Mary Jenkin
015306 24410
maryjenkin@aol.com

SHAP NEWS

Thursday 6th April at 7.30pm
Theatre by the Lake presents
'Two-Way Mirror'

Two-Way Mirror combines two beautiful and rarely performed one-act plays by the great American playwright Arthur Miller. Written in the 1960's, first presented in 1982 and not seen since 1989, this double bill explores illusion, love and the power of desire.

In the thrilling yet tender *Some Kind of Love Story*, a private detective is determined to expose a miscarriage of justice. But his fragile ex-lover seems to know more than she's telling and as the pressure grows, reality and truth prove harder and harder to grasp.

Elegy for a Lady follows a conversation between a shopkeeper and a man searching for a gift for his dying mistress. Confidences and secrets are shared in an intimate exchange through which we question how well we ever really know the ones we love.

Tickets: Adult: £9 Conc.:£8 Child: £5 Family: £23

Bookings: Tel. 01931 716273 or online at www.highlightsnorth.co.uk



Courses at Eden Community

Learning & Skills

COURSES STARTING IN SUMMER 2017

FREE Basic Maths & English courses in Penrith

FREE Computer for Beginners in Penrith

Mindfulness in Daily Life

Adobe Photoshop Beginners & Improvers

Various 1 day Art Workshops including Pen &

Wash, Still life, Speed Sketching, Figures

Intro to Wildflowers Intro to Butterflies

Intro to Dragonflies & Damselflies

Silk & Decorative Papermaking

Intro to Natural History Photography

Landscape Photography

Create your own Website with Wordpress

Dressmaking

For more info contact us on

Tel: 01931716447 or

Email: edenclas@cumbria.gov.uk

Or check out our website: www.cumbria.gov.uk/learningandskills

highlights

rural touring scheme



Union Jill Music with Kate Fox **Letting Off Steam**

*Rhyming, ranting and
laughter from three of
the North of*

England's top female wordsmiths.

Orton Market Hall on Sunday 9th April from 7.30pm

Kate Fox, BBC Radio 4's poet and comedian has joined forces with Union Jill, a folk-inspired female music duo, to create a show that is funny, thought-provoking and all-round entertaining and Orton Market Hall is thrilled to be hosting the last night of their current tour.

Letting off Steam is a show of entertaining rhythms, rhyming and ranting from three of the North's top female wordsmiths. Blending comedy, poetry and music, this show is a must-see event for anyone who enjoys seeing the lighter side of the darker side of life.

Union Jill's soaring songs and Kate Fox's sharp satire are knitted together with a big, warm helping of down to earth Yorkshire daftness. Their show will poke fun at the things that are tricky in life and celebrate the things that make it all better. Audiences can get away from their irritations and obligations with uplifting verse, surprising stories and a comedic musical journey covering everything from body image to housework, politics to moustaches.

Union Jill is a female duo renowned for its harmonies and well-crafted songs and the two musicians have played around the country sharing their brand of humour and politics. Kate Fox is a poet, comedian, performer and writer and a regular on Radio 4 and regulars for Highlights may remember her Blessing and Curse for the All Along the Wall performance a few years ago.

Kate and Union Jill have teamed with Highlights Rural Touring Scheme to offer a 'great night out on the doorstep of rural villages'.

"Best act I've seen all year" - Richard Digance

"Funny, endearing and with a journalistic cynicism that cuts through the whimsy" - Sunday Telegraph

Date/ Time: Sunday 9th April from 7.30pm

Venue: Orton Market Hall

Tickets: **Show recommended for 18+**
and adult ticket costs £9

Bookings: Tickets available from Orton
Village Store, from Sally on 24732
and online at
www.highlightsnorth.co.uk

RAVENSTONEDALE PARISH HISTORY GROUP

WEDNESDAY 5th April
(please note the later date, no talk in March)

7.30 pm

**Ravenstonedale High Chapel
Community & Heritage Centre**

PACKHORSE DAYS AND PACKHORSE WAYS

with

Janet Niepokojczycka

A 'Blue Badge' Cumbrian Tourist Guide

**Admission: Members £2.00 Non Members £3.00
including refreshments**

**For more information contact Val Fermer on
01539 623693**

or e-mail history@ravenstonedale.org

LUNE LADIES PROGRAMME Spring 2017

All visits and meetings are held on the
1st Wednesday of the month
and meetings start at 7.30pm
at Newbiggin-on-Lune village hall
(unless otherwise indicated)

**5th April - Visit to Haughey's
Antiques Kirkby Stephen with wine
and nibbles. Please note visit starts
at 7pm prompt.**

**Please let Carole know if you intend to
join this trip.**

Tel: 015396 23226

Ravenstonedale Tennis Club

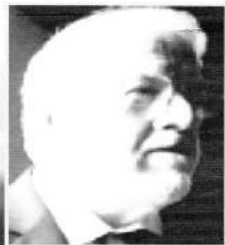
Boon Day

Saturday 1st April

10 am

**Helpers with brooms, shovels etc. needed to
prepare the court for this season please.**

Thank you.



Steal Away

**A Testimony
of a life...**

IN SONG

Newbiggin-On-Lune
Methodist Chapel
Saturday April 1st 2017

7.30pm

Doug Hollidge and his wife Rosemary live in Southend-on-Sea. Doug has been a Christian Minister for many years, and has been involved with Christian music for as long. This is his story.

The Filling Station

For high quality speakers, sung worship, prayer ministry, and personal testimonies.

NEXT MEETING:

The next meeting is on **Thursday 20th April** and the speaker is **Dr Alison Fleetwood: "Wholeness and Healing"**.

As usual it is 7.30 for 8.00 pm in the Appleby Hub (Centre 67), Chapel Street, Appleby.

Psalm 114: 8 *'Who turned the rock into a pool, the hard rock into springs of water.'*

<http://www.thefillingstation.org.uk>

**THE
FILLING
STATION**

Upper Eden First Responders

March Lottery winners

- 1 Mrs Margaret Albon, Kirkby Stephen
- 2 Mr J and Mrs P Hird, Kirkby Stephen
- 3 Mrs E Eyre, Kirkby Stephen

For information contact mtyoung@btopenworld.com

RAVENSTONEDALE PARISH HISTORY GROUP

Come along on Thursdays 2.00pm – 4.00pm

to High Chapel Community & Heritage Centre
(other times by arrangement)

to view

Transcribed Parish Registers from 1650–1826
Poor Relief Returns for 1780, 1856, 1867, 1869 &
1871 showing occupiers and owners of properties.
Newspaper cuttings, property sales prospectuses,
land ownership

Many old photos including school photos with
pupils named
AND MUCH, MUCH MORE!

For more information contact:

Chris Elphick on 01539 620605

or Val Fermer on 07798 688057

or e-mail history@ravenstonedale.org



Orton & Tebay Local History Society

Thursday 20th April

**"The Highlight of the Rural Year: Hiring Fairs of the
NW, 1890-1939"**

with Stephen Caunce

Orton Methodist Church, 7.30 p.m.

Visitors always welcome - £3.00

Thursday 18th June

**Visit to Kendal Archives Office,
with a view to looking at Field Maps etc.
(Limited numbers - booking essential)**

Orton & Tebay Local History Society

Unusual Job Titles

and their Descriptions from the Past

Every month we will bring you different jobs starting with different letters of the alphabet.

Jobs beginning with "O"

Oakum Worker: recycled old ropes for hemp fibre, which was driven into gaps between planks in boats.

Orrice Weaver: wove / embroidered orrice, which was a type of golden lace popular in the 18th century.

Owler: smuggled wool or sheep from England to France. The practice of owling was illegal in England in order to protect the English textile industry.

Ravenstonedale

Forthcoming events *Spring 2017*

Mothering Sunday, 26th March
Special service 10.a.m
St Oswald's Church

30th, 31st March, 1st April
Lune Spring Players
'Going Green'
Newbiggin-on-Lune
Public Hall 7.30pm

Wednesday 5th April
Ravenstonedale Parish History
Group:
7.30pm Talk by Janet
Niepokojczycka
'Packhorse days and packhorse
ways'
High Chapel Community
Centre 7.30pm

Saturday, 15th April
Charity Coffee Morning
10.30am-12noon
In aid of Eden Deanery charity
*enabling young people to
attend 'Soul Survivor', an
annual Christian Youth
Summer Festival*
St Oswald's Church
Ravenstonedale

Saturday, 20th May
*Concert -
Intermedii Choir
St Oswald's Church

***Saturday, 4th August**
Organ Recital -
Alexander Ffinch
(formerly of Newbiggin-
on-Lune)
St Oswald's Church

(*Notes for your diary)

Are you interested in
**Sewing / knitting /
quilting /
sharing skills and chat ?**
Please ring
Ann Wappett on 015396
23565

Don't miss! Lune Spring Players'

Forthcoming production of

Going Green



**A Tragic Comedy
by**

David Tristram

performance at 7.30 pm

**Thursday, Friday &
Saturday**

**30th, 31st March and
1st April**

**at the Public Hall,
Newbiggin-on-Lune**

To reserve tickets (£6) phone
David Morris 015396 23308 or
Liz Hutchinson 015396 23552

Ravenstonedale Folk Dance Club

Meets in Newbiggin Village Hall
on Thursday evenings
at 7.45 pm.

- No experience necessary
- Everyone made very welcome
- Partners not essential

**£2 per night; for more details
phone 015396 24258**

LOCAL CHEF, MAI TRISING, GAINS PLACE IN SEMI FINAL OF 'NORTH WEST CHEF OF THE YEAR'

Mai joined The Black Swan as 'pot washer' when he came to Ravenstonedale from Thailand with his mum when he was just 13 years old. He worked so hard and has gained many promotions and now works as second Chef to our Head Chef, Scott Fairweather.

Scott has helped develop Mai's natural skills which has helped him in the competition. The Semi Final will take place at Kendal College on 11th April, when Mai will cook a three course meal of traditional Cumbrian dishes with a 'little Thai twist'.



Friends of Tarn Gill Bridge
Annual General Meeting
St Oswald's Church,
Ravenstonedale
Thursday 20th April at 7.30pm

Advertise your business in *The Link*

**Spaces available.
Contact the Editor for
details.**

**FRIENDS OF ST OSWALD'S CHURCH
RAVENSTONEDALE**

PRESENT

A

CONCERT

by

**The Renowned International
Singing Group from Luxembourg**

Intermedii

**Saturday 20th May 7pm
in Ravenstonedale Church**

Tickets (include Refreshments)

Adults - £8

Under 16s - £4

Available from

June Ellis - 015396 23415

**Any member of the Friends of St Oswald's
and from**

The King's Head, Ravenstonedale - 015396 23050

Newbiggin-on-Lune

Newbiggin on Lune Methodist Chapel.

Come and join us for:-

- Sunday Services – weekly at 10.30am until further notice.
- Sunday School – weekly at 10.30am
- Youth Club – fortnightly on Thursdays; 6.30pm – 8pm (year 5 upwards). Snooker, pool, table tennis, playstation, football & hockey (term time only).

We are friendly and welcoming and would love you to come and spend time with us.

For more information phone **Andrea** on **24644**

Monthly Lunch Club

Coffee and Chat

The church will be open every Tuesday morning.
You are welcome to pop in between 10 and 12
for coffee, cake and chat.

We would love to see you every week
or just once in a while.
It's good to get together.

Advertisement **VACANCY**

Handyperson

We have a seasonal vacancy (March to October) for a handyperson here at Adventure Leisure Vehicles at our location in Tebay where we sell a range of caravans and motorhomes.

Your duties will include washing and cleaning caravans and motorhomes, moving our stock of caravans and motorhomes around our yard/compound/workshop/showroom, and keeping the workshop clean and tidy.

Hours: 10.00am - 4.00pm Monday to Friday (or by arrangement)

If you are physically active, have DIY and painting skills and preferably hold a clean driving licence and would like more information or to apply for the position please contact **Michael Hold**

Tel: 01539 624141 - Email: mhold@adventurelv.com

Newbiggin-on-Lune Public Hall

Contacts:

Chairman : Ian Clayton Tel: 015396 23226

Secretary : Marion Law Tel: 07866 785656

Treasurer : Carl McLaughlin Tel: 015396 23674

The Vicarage, Newbiggin-on-Lune, Kirkby Stephen

Caretaker : Anne Brownrigg Tel: 015396 23594

All bookings should be made with the Caretaker
All payments to the Treasurer.

Newbiggin-on-Lune Baby and Toddler Group

Every Friday morning (term time)
9.30am - 11.45am

Methodist Chapel Schoolroom

Children under 6 months - free

Children over 6 months - £1.50

First session is free

(includes a healthy snack)

Just turn up, or for
more details contact

Chairperson : Fi on
017683 71921



LUNE SPRINGS LUNCH CLUB

Lune Springs Lunch Club welcomes anyone who would like some company and a meal. It is held on the **second Monday of each month** at Norman Ousby's Garden Centre and Cafe at Newbiggin on Lune.

The cost is **£10.00** for a main course, sweet, and coffee or tea.

It would be lovely to welcome new people - we are a friendly group and there is quite a lot of chatter!

Please let Sally Cannon know if you are able to come
(015396 23230 or 07531 544048)

as the meal is prepared specially for us.

We should be very pleased to see any of you!

Indoor Bowls evenings

Friday night is bowls night

at Newbiggin-on-Lune Village Hall

You don't need a partner....

7.30 p.m. start - £2.00 per night

Why don't you join us?

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Brough Clock	10.05	16.15
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Kirkby Stephen West Station	10.30/10.35	15.53/16.00
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Orton	11.10	15.37
Mount Pleasant bus stop, Tebay	11.18	15.26
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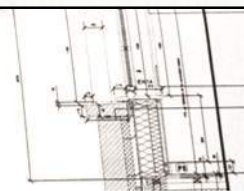
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